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## DISTRICT 11 DRIFT GILLNET FISHERY EXTENSION

Juneau. . . The Alaska Department of Fish and Game announced today the drift gillnet fishery in Section 11-B, will be extended for 24 hours and will close at 12:00 noon, Thursday, July 16, 2020.

Section 11-B: will be extended for 24 hours and will close at 12:00 noon, Thursday, July 16, with the following restrictions:

Taku Inlet: will be closed west of a line from Pt. Bishop at 58°11.99' N lat, 134°09.01' W long to the Point Arden Light at 58°09.55' N lat, 134°10.68' and north of the latitude of Jaw Point at 58°16.81' N lat;

Limestone Inlet: will be closed east of a line from a point on the north shore at 58°02.03' N lat, 133°59.59' W long to a point on the south shore at 58°01.72′ N lat, 133°59.43′ W long (outside markers);

Port Snettisham: will be closed east of a line from Point Styleman at 57°58.42′ N lat, 133°53.93′ W long to Point Anmer at 57°56.07′ N lat, 133°51.05′ W long.

This announcement was made on the fishing grounds via VHF radio on channel 10 at approximately 9:15 a.m., Wednesday, July 15, 2020.

The Emergency Order corresponding with this announcement is EO 1S2820.

Under Alaska's Health Mandates 10, 17, and 18, commercial fishing is an Essential Business and is part of Alaska's Essential Services and Critical Infrastructure. Commercial fishermen should ensure that all travel and other activities in support of commercial fishing operations follow protocols in Alaska COVID-19 Health Mandates. COVID-19 Health Mandates may be found here: <a href="https://gov.alaska.gov/home/covid19-healthmandates/">https://gov.alaska.gov/home/covid19-healthmandates/</a>

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